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LONDON OFFICE: 131, FLEET STREET, E.C.

Hongkong, 26th October, 1903. IF we were to judge by REUTER's telegrams from London alone, it would not be possible to hope that war between Japan and Russia could be averted for more than a few days, or weeks at most. Every item of intelligence concerning the Far East which reaches us from home seems to convey an immediate threat, except perhaps the despatch of the 23rd instant which mentions Admiral ALEXIEFF's expected visit to St. Petersburg early next month. It is true that the latter message says that " the crisis in China will possibly be delayed thereby," but this appears to be un error, for there is no more crisis in China, capable of delay, now than there was a year ago. If Admiral ALEXIEFE visits St. Petersburg it seems certain that his chief object will be to seek advice on the state of relations between Russia and Japan; not between Russia and China. But though the new Russian Viceroy's journey may indicate at least a temporary continuance of peace, it cannot be denied that the news of Japan's instructions to the steamship and milway companies, as well as to the gunboats, about to go into winter quarters at Newchwang, betray an anxious feeling on the part of our allies" that it will not do to pause because of the advent of winter. The doubling of LLOYD's insurance rates to the Far East on the 22nd instant shows what is thought of the situation at home. One the other hand. messages from the North continue to insist upon the unlikelihood of war, and to relterate the liope that all will pass off peacefully. The amount of news indeed vouchsafed to us from the North is both scanty and deveid of excitements It is plain that neither Japan nor Russia wishes to cause any alarm by betraying unusual

TELEGRAMS. business in military and naval preparations. But this fact in itself may possibly be considered ominous, seeing that all outside REUTER'S SERVICE. observers appear to be able to detect extraordinary exertions in both countries. It is only natural that, if either Japan or

Russia is actually getting ready with a view

to war, that country will also make every

endeavour to conceal the matter-from the

world in general and its rival in particular.

The truth appears to be that both nations,

are doing their utmost to be prepared for

war, if it should be found inevitable; but

neither is satisfied as to the right moment

to strike, or even whether it is worth

striking at all. It has been said that

Russia has only been waiting the arrival

of naval reinforcements. But Russia has

most assuredly not been putting things off

until the arrival of winter, when she will

only have one ice-free port, viz., Port

Arthur. If she were to wait so long, she

would at least contrive, if possible, to tide

of both peoples may avoid conflict altogether

as we hope it will. If this is not to be, the

sooner the struggle comes the better. The

present state of doubt is paralysing to the

Owing to unavoidable circumstances the half-

yearly meeting of the Jockey Club is postponed

until Monday, next, the 2nd November, at 4 p.m.

The recognition of M. G. Liébert, Consul fo

A great strike has occurred among Chinese

furniture employees in Melbourne and 1,110

Chinese Union employees have been locked out.

Mr. J. W. Norton Kyshe, Registrar of the

The appointments of Mr. A. Seth as Registrar

of Companies and Official Trustee, and of Mr.

J.W. Jones as Deputy Registrar and Appraisor,

Authority bus been given to the Captain

Superintendent of Police to issue temporary

liquor ligenses free of charge for such periods

as he shall think fit and subject to such con-

In the last number of the East of Asia

magazine, which we have just received from

the North-China Herald office, Shanghai,

An appeal has been addressed to Scotsman in

India in connection with the fund which is

being raised for the purpose of building a

Queen Victoria Memorial School for the sons

Au extraordinary freak in the way of feet w

to be witnessed on an Aberdeen launchy sterday,

one of the coolies travelling on board having

six toes on his left foot, the extra toe springing

out high up on the right side of the foot, near

the ankle, while the "big" too was unusually

One of the finest patches of opal ever found

was unearthed at the White Cliffs opal-field

Australia, at the beginning of this month, by

two young brothers named Archie and Donald

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Admiral Maréchal, who was removed by M.

Pelletan from the Command of the French

Paris, to be placed on the unattached list,

This decision, the journal declares, was arrived

at on Saturday at the Ministerial Council

when it was decided that the tone of Admiral

Maréchal's letter to M. Pelletan was unaccept.

able on the part of an officer writing to his

chief, and that it was necessary that an example

The following is the programme of music to

be performed by the band and drums of the 1st

Sherwood Foresters, on the New Parade Ground

Overture "Les Trois Mousquetaires" Blanchmann

March (Drums) "Shells we gathered" Jubb

Selection ... "Cavalleria Rusticana" ... Mascagni

"God Save the King."

HONGKONG'S ASSETS AND

The following statement of the Colony's assets

and liabilities on the 31st August appears in

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Total,

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Subsidiary coins in transit :: \$500,000

Estimate of all ver at mint. 180.000

Total 2000.000

Intermezzo..... Pondant le Bal"

March (Drums) "Scorcher"

Subsidiary coin,

Deposits not available.

Money order remittances,

Balance overdrawn: bank.

Crown agents' draft

"Schlummerlied"..... Schumann

Total assets ... \$636,816.03

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ditions as he may impose.

Mr. C. Bone.

THE FAR EAST. LONDON, 22nd October. The Japanese Railway and Steamship Com-

panies have been warned to hold themselves in readiness for all emergencies.

LONDON, 23rd October. For the last few weeks quite a large number of Russian torpedo-boat-destroyers have passed down the Channel from the Baltic bound to the amount of business done. Besides the Port Arthur, and yesterday four destroyers left Brest for the same destination, and two were a toboggan slide which appeared to

torpedo-boats for the Mediterranean. Japanese gunboats have been stopped from going into winter quarters at Newchwang by. telegrams from Tokyo.

Owing to fears of war, Lloyd's Insurance rates to the Far East have been doubled since

matters over until the thaw of spring sets Minister for War, Marine, and Foreign Affairs, BLEND | Vladivostock free again. The good sense | had a long conference with the Premier yesterday afternoon.

Mr CHAMBERLAIN'S FISCAL POLICY

LONDON, 22nd October. that the Colonies would reject his scheme, or that the British people were unable to understand its France, as Acting Consul for Russia in

THE BALKAN TROUBLES.

LONDON, 22nd October. The Revolutionary Committee is advising the Bulgarian inhabitants of Macedonia to become Roman Catholies in order to escape persecution; in the meanwhile an active Catholic propaganda is expected to convert a great many. CANADA AND THE ALASKA

AWARD. LONDON, 23rd October. Correspondence laid on the table of the Dominion House of Commons shows that Canada vigorously protested against the American Arbitrators in the Alaska Award as not being impartial jurists of repute, as stipulated for in the treaty, and Canada subsequently complained that the treaty was ratified while the

RUSSIA AND CHINA.

protest remained unanswered by the Colonial

LORDON, 23rd October. Admiral Alexieff is expected to go to St Petersburg early in November and the crisis in China will possibly be delayed thereby.

THE VOLUNTEER CAMP.

The Volunteer Camp at Stonecutters' has so far been a great success. Some useful instruction drill has been put in. Last evening there were a great many visitors. The members of the Corps amused themselves in a variety of ways. Cricket and football were indulged in. In the cricket match the First Right beat the Left Right by live wickets. A. S. Watson's representatives played a particularly good game, Uphill and Austen distinguishing themselves. At football "Binks" shone to some It is said by Camp gossips that the bet meney has not yet been paid over. Corporal Uphill, noon, turned up without his stripes but through the Press. Squadron in the Far East, is, says the Echo de managed his daty just as well as if he had had

We are sorry to record a painful accident that occurred on Saturday night. Corporal J. Hays, was on guard duty and he was walking through the tents when he slipped on one of the bed-boards and stumbled, with the result that he out his wrist on a piece of broken glass, severing two arteries. The wound bled profusely and Dr. Swan's assistance had to be got to stitch the severed arteries. We understand that Mr. Hays is making fair progress

towards recovery. The ubiquitous Corporal Deas is again one of the leading lights of the Camp as he has been

in former years. Corps, is looking after things in general, and reason of his tactfulness and courtesy.

The bars are in charge of Mr. E. G. Jordan, who has been decorated with the local rank of honorary Sergeant, and under his care branch of the commissariat department is conducted in a first-class madeer.

As usual-the R.A. mess on the other side of the island is a place of great resort for the Volunteers off duty, and the "shandy" casks there will have to be replenished often if the Camp men so frequently visit it as they have

done already. Yesterday Rev. C. H., Hickling conducted religious service at the Camp.

JU BILEE HOSPITAL

It has been arranged that the new Jubilee Hospital on Barker Road will be formally opened by H.E. the Governor on the afternoon of Tuesday, the 3rd November, when the works carried out by the Jabilee Committee, namely the Hospital and Road from Kennedy Town to Aberdeen, will be handed over by the Chairman, I on behalf of the Committee, to the Government.

CHARITABLE BAZAAR.

On Saturday afternoon a bazaar inaugurated under the nuspices of Mrs. F. H. May, was held by the members of the Ministering Children's League, on the Volunteer Parade ground (which had been kindly lent for the occasion), in aid of the Victoria Home and Orphansge and School for Blind Children at Kowloon. After the threatening appearance of the morning the afternoon turned out very fine, and consequently by 4 p.m. the grounds presented a very animated scene, and the ubiquitous chink of coin current testified to stalls, of which there were ten, there be doing a rearing trade, as the little once could not get back to the starting point fast enough, and a ship's life-saving apparatus. in which the children were hauled back and forth by some men from H.M.S. Tamar. At 4 p.m. Sleeping Beauty was staged, the heroine's part being taken by a pratty little girl named Miss Nan Roger, the other parts Renter's Agency at Tokyo wires that the being very cleverly filled by Misses Eva, Margy, and Joan Roger, Nora Mitchell, G. Woodcock, Phyllis Seth, Emily Bradly, Mary Blake, Lily Palmer, Florrie Standish, and Esmee Woodcock, and Musters Roger and Seth, The stalls were very prettily arranged with stocks of fancy goods, from lamp-stands to-lace Mr. Chamberlain, speaking at Tynemouth, | collars, sweetstuffs, &c., flanked by ice cream and said he did not believe that a general election | refreshment stalls, on which there was a conwas impending, and that in the meantime he | tinuous run. One feature, generally so successwas going to work. If he failed the first time | ful at these bazaars, was missing. We refer to he would go on again, until he was convinced | the bevy of little girls who parade about selling buttonholes at famine prices, and generally carry off the palm for the amount of their earnings. Among the stall-holders were, (1) Mrs. Wesley Brown and Miss C. Goodman, (2) Mrs. Robinson and Miss Hawkesley, (3) Mrs. Parker, Miss Denton, and Miss Tyler, (4) Mrs. Fullerton and Mrs. James, (5) Mrs. Mitchell, Mrs. Seth, Mrs. Chas. Lammert, and Misses Loureiro, (6) Mrs. Ormiston and Miss Goodman, (7) Mrs. Baker-Brown, Mrs. Treuchard Davis, (8) Mrs. Denison, Miss Cocker, and Miss Blair, (9) Mrs. Wyllie, Miss Wyllie, Mrs. Siebs, Mrs. Danby, Mrs. Dickson, and Mrs. Rout, all being essisted by a large number of children. Finally there was a stall for packing parcels, tended by two bright young packers, Miss Mary Bryant and Miss Rosa Bradley. A special word of commendation is due to Mr. Branson, 10th Bo. L.I., for his very successful conjuring exhibitions, which went far to swell the funds

of the Ministering Children's League. During the afternoon the Band of the 10th Bombay Infantry, by kind permission of Colonel Bird and the officers of that regiment, played a very choice selection of music.

Mrs. May and the ladies helping her deserve great credit for the manner in which the function was carried through, and no doubt, owing to their untiring efforts, the charities mentioned will benefit substantially.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE PROPOSED ICE & STORAGE CO., LD.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS."

Hongkong 24th October, 1903. SIR :- I have read Mr Chan A Tak's letter with much interest, and in the first place I

disagree with him when he says that" there is purpose. The score is not known. In the no necessity of making enquiry through the course of the afternoon there was a 100 yards Press." When a prospectus of this sort is sprint between Mr. J. D. Logan and Mr. Tyrell, issued stating that the profits are certain to be the lutter conceding five yards to his more very large, but stating at the same time elderly opponent. The younger may won, but apparently that \$200,000, out of a capital had to put his best foot forward to do so. of \$700,000 is to be paid for promotion fee, so many people in Hongkong, who are always on the look out for a good thing, want some who was in charge of the guard yesterday after- explanation, that the simplest way to get it is

> I note that of the nine directors no one had time to give entire attention to the promotion of the enterprise, and after reading Mr. Chan A Tak's letter I gather that even now the directors have not had time to get any very definite information as to what commissions or services rendered and what expenditures are likely to be settled for in shares.

Shares as a rule are not accepted for machinery and materials, and I doubt if the vendors of land (to wit the land at Causeway Bay already said to have been bought by the Company for \$40,000) will sell for shares. I am much surprised, too, to hear that subscribers of 50 shares get 5 promotion shares, or in other Bargeant-Major Higby, the new S.M. of the words, by paying \$500 a subscriber gets 55 shares (\$10-face value) for a little over \$9 per is already making himself a popular efficer by lehare. Is not this issuing shares at a discount and illegal?

If shares are issued at \$9 -and the President, as the secretary writes, will buy them back at par, which I presume means \$10-the shares are well worth buying for a quick turnover, and hoy investor will readily see the advantage of the enterprise.

I note that the new Company appear to he calculating their profits on the present selling price of ice in this Colony, and I am very sorry to hear that this high price is likely to be maintained. I fully expected, when heard that this new Company was formed, that competition would result and that the old established Hongkeng Ice Company, with its capital of \$125,000, would at once lower prices by at least 50 per cent. A slight reduction even in one's ice account is something to took forward to in these hard times when a rise in exchange of 20 per cent is followed by a reduction in the price of stores of only 5 per cent. Yours, otc.,

PORT ARTHUR.

PROM QUE OWN CORRESPONDENT.

Port Arthur, 12th October.

GRAND REVIEW.

On Saturday the manouvres of the soldiers belonging to the Port Arthur garrison were brought to a conclusion, and the occasion was marked by the sound of cannon and of musketry are at intervals throughout the day. The musketry fire was so close to the town that I am sure an assault was made by the invaders on some of the principal defences, perhaps on Gold Hill itself, which was taken so easily by the Japanese troops during the war with China, but which could scarcely be taken so easily now. On Sunday there was a Grand Review, in the course of which all the soldiers of the garrison, with the exception of the fortress artillery, passed before the Vicercy, I am told by a Russian Colonel that 40,000 men were present on the occasion. The soldiers were all clean and smart-looking, presenting a great contrast to their usual appearance, and having every token of being a very serious factor indeed. MR. DAVIDEON.

Mr. Davidson, the United States Consul in Formosa, is now here on his way to St. Potersburg and is "doing" this town and Dalny with American thoroughness. He is engaged, I believe, on a book describing the Siberian Railway. There are other foreign residents of Japan here, and of course a great many foreigners are constantly passing through from THE NEW HOTEL.

The new hotel is nearing completion and will. when finished, be a fine building accommodating several bundred guests. It is situated in New Town, commands a fine view and adjoins the Public Gardens; and despite some faults, such as the smallness of the dining room in proportion to the size of the building, it should undoubtedly be a success. Almost every day I see gentlemen and ladies wandering about with their luggage in the streets looking in valu for a lodging; and, if the present rush continues, the hotel can easily get six roubles a day upwards for room alone.

ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB

On Saturday next, the 31st inst., the opening cruise of the yachting season will be held. The yachts will assemble off the Naval Extension Works. The Commodore, in Dione, will star; for Stoneontters' at 2.15 p.m. Other yachts will follow in single line. LADIES RACE :-

Start 3.30 p.m. Starting line between bow of H.M.S. Tamar's launch and bow of Hyglia. Course :- Cosmopolitan Dook bnoy (port), Tamar's launch (starboard), Cosmopolitan Dock buoy (port)

Handicap :-

Recall No. Handicar Dione ... Elspeth Bonito Kathleen Doreen Maid Marian ... Chanticleer Mist ...

Sunday, 1st November, first Club Race No. 5. Start for one-design ... 1 pm. Second class Handicap :--Allanah allows :--

Iris 30 sec. Meteor 55 sec. Doreen: Payne 75 .. Maid Marian \ 45 sec. Mist 120 ,, per m. Chanticleer By request of the owners the first race for the championship class has been postponed until 1,30 p.m. on Saturday, the 7th November.

POLICE COURT Saturday, 24th October.

BEFORE MR. T. SERCOMBE SMITH (POLICE MAGISTRATE).

TREE-CUTTING.

There were a number of cases of stealing shrubs and cutting the branches of trees on Crown land before his Worship on Saturday, the defendants being fined from \$3 to \$10 with the usual alternative of imprisonment.

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF OPIUM. For being in unlawful possession of various quantities of prepared opium in excess of the amount allowed by law a goodly number of Chinese shopkeepers were given various fines,

from \$5 to \$50 or imprisonment. THE BELILIOS TERRACE CASE. A Chinese was arraigned before the court, on the evidence of Chief Inspector of Detectives Henson, on the charge of being implicated in the robbery and assault on Miss Bateman and her amah, as already reported. The prisoner was remanded until the Friday 80th instant.

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THE GRIFFITHS PERJURY CASE. John Griffiths, who is under detention on the charge of wilful and corrupt perjury in the case of robbery of rope, against severa Chinese, as previously reported, was again before his Worship on Saturday when his case was remanded until Saturday, the 30th inst. to allow time to secure further evidence in the case. Bail was refused.

CRICKET.

LONGS V. SHORTS.

This ma'ch, played on the Cricket Ground on Saturday, ended in an extremely easy victory for the "Shorts." Dr. Atkinson, favoured with great luck, made 51 out of the winners : 121 in their junings, while Sercombe Smith and Lumsden carried all before them when the taller men when in. Declaring with one wicket down for 60, the "Shorts" were unable to get out more than five of their opponents before time was called. Scores and analysis :--

First Innings.
T. S. Smith, (capt.), c
Broadbent, b Mackenzic 0 Col. Ferrier, A.P.D., c Chichester, b Broad-Com. T. Shelford, R.N., o and b Broadbent 12 Lt. Rimington, R.A., ran Lt. Lumsdon, R.A., run W. C. D. Turner, e Dixon, A.O.D., b J. T. Dixon Lt. Robinson, R.N.R., b Chichester C. D. Silas, not out F. H. Kew. absent Extras . Tl. (Inns. declared) 63 Total First Innings. Second Innings. A. Mackenzie, o Atkinson, b Lumsden 5 run out...... 2 T. Dixon, o Turner, b Lumsden 2 e Turner, b S. Smith 19 Batchellor, R.N., c Davies, b.S. Smith Major. Chichester. D.A.A.G., b S. Smith c and b Shelford ... 0 G. Moore, K.N. (capt.), e Ferrier, b Rimingc and b S. Smith Lt. Norfolk, R.N., b S. not out..... 4 M. Broadbent, R.N., run out...... 31 not out T. C. Grav. b.S. Smith... H. R. Wolls, b Lamsden 0 R. E. O. Bird, absent Extras . Total....... 27 Total (5 wickets) 74 BOWLING · ANALYSIS. First Innings. Second Innings.

J. T. Dixon 8 3 12 First Innings. - Second Innings. Lumsden

CIVIL SERVICE CC. v. CRAIGENGOWER C.C. The first game in the Hongkong Cricket League, between the Civil Service C.C. and Craigengower C.C., was played at the Happy Valley on Saturday last, and ended in a draw. The scores are as follows :--CIVIL SERVICE C.C.

P. T. Lamble, c and b Postonji R. Witchell, b Postonii J. Londer, b Pestonji 6 L. E. Brott, o Cross, b Postonii 12 W. Brand, c Postonji, b Horton W. Andrews, b Pestonil W. H. Woolley, c Stuart, b Pestonji W. Parkinson, run out H. Gidley, not out CRAIGENGOWER C.C. J. L. Stuart, o Pitt, b Witchell J. D. Kinnaird, not out A. O. Brawn, c Woolley, b Lamble 5 E. B. Horton, e Parkinson, b Brett 48 L. A. Rose, b Brett Extras

Total (for 4 wickets) 7t L. E. Lammert, R. Basa, T. L. Cross, R. Pestonji . H. Buttoniee, and H. H. Taylor did not but.

BOWLING ANALYSIS. CRAIGENGOWER C.C.

CIVIL SERVICE 2ND XI, v, "o" co., SHERWOOD

In the cricket match played on Saturday between Hongkong Civil Service C.C. 2nd Eleven and G. Co., Sherwood Foresters, the Civil Eervice team were easily defeated. Pte. Meakin and Webster both bowled extremely well for the Foresters. The scores were as

SHERWOOD FORESTERS ("G" CO.) Sergt. Murphy, c Gast, b Hutchings Sergt. Brompton, b Hutchings Sergt. Kerry, b Goldenberg Pto Meskin b Hutchings Col. Sergt. Randall, b Gast Lient. Rhodes, b Goldenberg..... Pto. Coyne, b Gast Corpl. Welsh, not out Pte. Webster, st Robns, b Hutchings ... Pie. Williams, b Gast Corpl. Liannon, b Goldenberg Total CIVIL SERVICE 2ND ELEVEN. J. Hutchings, b Meakin H. Knight, o Randall, b Meakin W. Gast, et Rhodes, b Meakin Robins b. Webste r..... J. A. Wheal, b Webster Goldenberg, o Coyne, b Webster M. Gidley, b Meakin W. Dobba, b Webster J. Brown, b Webster Dancan, o Williams, b Webster

FIRE IN WANCHAI GODOWNS.

Shortly after midnight on Saturday. Chinese coolie observed smoke issuing from the ventilator of one of the Wanchai godowns and gave the alarm at the fire station, a hand engine and posse of firemen soon being despatched to the scene. It was discovered that a small fire had broken out in a godown wherein cases of piece-goods were stored; but the timely appearance of the firemen with their quenching apparatus soon put out the fire, and it is understood the damage done is not very serious.

HONGKONG JOTTINGS.

past week by one of the many wandering there can be no reasonable objection to the typhoons which cause anxiety about this time of presence of a band at the outer end of the the year, to all whose business brings them in any I wharf, on one or two evenings a week. The way in connection with the sen-not to mention | pleasure to the many would be great, while any architects and engineers. But beyond the objections raised could scarcely be reasonable. appearance of black emblems on the Tamar and a certain amount of delay to atcamers, nothing has come of it. Everyone in consequence is much relieved, for no one cares to see much of what Joseph Convad in his recent book Typhoon calls "the real thing," "semething formidable and swift, like the sudden smashing of a vial of wrath." (Typhoon, by the way, is well worth reading and should interest those who have sailed in the China Seas:) We may congratulate ours lves that last week the real thing kindly kept away. The storm centre appears to have passed away to the west of the Colony and to have turned in the direction of Hainen.

The tramway is at last beginning to make itself seem in the centre of the city, and the blocking up a the road round the south-western corner of the Cricket Ground has called the attention even of those who travel least afield to the fact that the revolution in Hongkong's traffic is steadily approaching. Already the north outrance of the Bank is, so to speak, in a state siege, and we shall begin to imagine to ourselves how the streets will appear with tram-care running up and down them. We need not look forward to the disappearance of the rickshapuller, that bugbear of residents afflicted with nerves; but his powers of lung and speed will not be so much in evidence as they are now Few probably will regret this, for he has not many friends except the unwashed coolie whom he loves to give a ride in his ricksha between his cleaner and more lucrative fares.

Although the fabric of the new Law Courts does not show up for much, it is some satisfaction to note that building operations are now going on, if not at a great pace yet still sensibly progressing. I hear that Bir Henry Blake will lay the foundation stone on Thursday, the 12th prox. This will, I imagine, be the last function of a public nature that His Excellency will take part in before his departure for Ceylon.

Good progress I notice is being made with the fine wide read in course of construction neross the King's Park, Kowloon, starting from the Praya at Hunghom and leading to Yaumati. Anyone who has observed the scores of people who hourly use this short cut between the two villages will appreciate the need that has existed for a good road. Lest this note may tempt many to go and "look see," let me whisper that it is not advisable to appreach by the Hunghom end. where there is an urgent call for the activities of the sanitary officials.

There was a rumour current lately to the effect that the military authorities were weary of their bargain in the Mount Austin Barracks and desired to be rid of it -at a good price. But I think this was only a ramour and doubtless originated in the necessity laid upon the War Department of spending a very substantial sum | we have found innocent of any crime attributed on repairs. I note that scaffolding is up and a large section of the roof is receiving attention. It is said that something like £2,000 is to be laid out upon this property. The building is a large one, and repairs at the Peak must necessarily always be costly owing to the damn,

The typhoon-like blow of the last few days having wantonly interrupted the spell of gloriously fine weather we have recently been enjoying, a short note on a rainy subject will not seem so much out of piace now as would have done a week ago. I notice in Straits paper a letter from a correspondent who: pours the vials of his wrath upon the heads of the owners of the rickshas at Penang who furnish their vehicles with a cheap and unsatisfactory substitute for waterproof aprons. We are no butter off in this respect in Hongkong. The ricksha "waterproof apron" is a delusion and a snare, and in a shower of rain is of little more use than a piece of calico. The Pensing sufferer invokes the aid of the Superintendent of Jinrikshas. Ferhaps some pushful vendor of genuine waterproof material might accomplish better results for the public.

The Blake Pier is becoming a somewhat popular place of resort in the evenings for the daily toilers of this city, who, after the day's work is over, repair thither for a life-renewing have weakened to 19a. sellers, monthful of ozone. In view of this fact the remark of a lady who was waiting for a launch last evening on that wharf is very pertinent : "Why don't they have seats here?" she said, and many bystanders were ready to echo. "Why, oh! why?" Timber is cheap, and a few well-made benches, while costing but little. would add considerably to the comfort of the many who daily have cause to visit the wharf, many of whom have to waitabout for considerable periods for the advert of launches to take Farnhams, which were dealt in at rising rates Imperial policy which is intended to benefit the them off to steamers, or the arrival of friends from the same.

In this connection there is an excellent chance for the authorities to add to the revenue, by farming out the seating at a yearly sum, the rental for same for use per hour, under a at \$107. necessary stipulation that the seats shall be limited to a certain number, so as not to block the traffic for arriving and departing passengers. This has been done with great success in Manila and other cities in the East, and has proved a considerable boon and would undoubtedly do so here. A charge of even two cents per cent per evening would bring in good return, and at the same time would be prohibitive, as far as the objectionables and

undesirables are concerned. And this done, why not a band? The landing stages are well Hongkong has been threatened during the in towards the shore end of the wharf, so that

> The benchcomber nuisance is one of the most serious problems that confront the seaports of the Far East, and no place suffers from this class of undesirables more than Hongl ong does. Periodically every other port in these parts seems to arouse itself and shake from i s shoulders the incubus that it feels to be settling thereon, but not so Hongkong. Hongkong indeed is a sort of dumping-ground for the refuse of all other places. We have no remittance men like Australia or Japan. Our parasitical population lives solely on the labours of the honest workers In a large international scaport like ours it is of course impossible to avoid having a certain number of unfortunates who find themselves on the beach," through no fault of their own, perhaps; but the authorities should prevent the unlimited immigration of deported scamps from other towes who lounge around the hotels seeking whom they may devour and Constituting a menace to the public well-being, as well as greatly lowering European prestige in the eyes. of the Chinese.

BANYAN

SIR HECTOR MACDONALD.

A COLOMBO VINDICATION.

The following has been sent to a home

Government Buildings, Colombo,

29th June, 1903. In reference to the grave charges made against the late Sir Hector Macdonald we, the appointed and undersigned Commissioners, individually and collectively declare on oath that after the most careful, minute, and exhaustive inquiry and investigation of the whole circumstances and facts connected with the auddenand unexpected death of the late Sir Hector Macdonald, unanimously and unmistakeably find absolutely no reason or crime whatsoever which would create feelings such as would determine suicide, in preference to conviction of any crime affecting the moral and irreproachable character of so brave, so fearless, so glorious and unparalleled a hero; and we firmly believe the cause which gave rise to the inhuman and oruel suggestions of crime were prompted through vulgar feelings of spite and jealousy in his rising to such a high rank of distinction in the British Army; and while we have taken the most reliable and trustworthy evidence from every accessible and conceivable source, have without hesitation come to the conclusion that there is not visible the slightest particle of truth in foundation of any crime. While bonourably acquitting the late Sir Hector Macdonald of any charge whatever, we cannot but deplore the sad circumstances of the case that have fallen so disastrously on one whom him,-(Signed) Angus Macdonald, Dr. Matthew Wilson, Dr D. Macnanghton, James Brodie, Gerald Heathcote Arthur Lang.

SHARE REPORT.

Mesars. Erich Georg & Co. say in their weekly share list, dated Hongkong, 24th

No change for the better. Most stocks are on offer, and what business takes place is purely of an investing kind; the sterling exchange for demand on London is la, 101d. and the Shanghai rates are Tis. 71f for a T/T and Tis. 72f for a three days' sight Private Paper.

offer at 16321; the London rate has declined to Govan, Glasgow, another by Vickers, Sons, and

MARINE INSURANCES - Unions sold at \$4924 China Traders have declined to \$611 sellers, and Cantons are steady at \$175 ex the dividend of

\$15 paid on the 22nd instant. FIRE INSURANCES. - Quist at quotations.

SHIPPING SHARES .- A small investment business has taken place in Canton and Macaos from \$312 down to \$311, at which rate there are further sellers; Indes have declined to \$81 sellers locally, whilst the latest quotation from the North is Tis. 57 sales. Shell Transports

REFINERIES. China Sugars are on offer at

MINING SHARES .- L'anjoms ordinary have declined to \$1.50, and Ranbs are procurable at

DOCKS, WHAEVES AND GODOWKS .- Whampoe Docks can be placed at \$2014; Kowloon-Wharves are offering at \$8 & after small sales | of Canada, sitting at Brockville, Ontario, has at \$88; New Amoy Docks sold at \$38, and agreed to a resolution disapproving of any from Tls. 1125 to Tls. 120; are easier again at Tls. 1174 in the North according to latest telegraphic information from Shanghai.

LANDS, HOTELS, AND BUILDINGS.-Land Investments are ensier again with sellers at \$154. West Points are procurable at \$521. farmer having the right to place a number of Hongkong Hotels have dropped to \$147 sellere; seats on the wharf and charge a small and Humphreys' Estates are in the market

> MIBCHILANEOUS.—Cements have buyers at \$221 : Old Electrics sold at \$121. Unsatisfie demands have raised the price for Dairy far to \$134 buyers; United Asbestos Founder shares have sellers at \$200.

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LATE TELEGRAMS.

YIA AUSTRALIA.

THE BALKANS.

London, 27th September. Russia, in the course of a Note to Bulgaria. recognises Turkey as the paramount Power in the Balkans, and as such entitled to suppress rebellion in her territory as she thinks best. The Note has caused great excitement at

Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, who was formerly Ambassador at Madrid, and who has had diplomatic experience in Bulgaria, Ronmanis, and Turkey, in a letter to the Times says that the aims of Austria and Russia are to secure a paramount influence in Macedonia, on the basis of Austria seizing Salonika, and sunexing to Bulgaria the strip of coast from distance in 6m 47 3-58. Salonika to Kavala Bay, which would become Russia's place of arms, enabling her to threaten the Eastern Mediterranean and the London, 28th September.

Router's agency reports that the rumours of Bulgarian ultimatum to the Sublime Porte and the actual mobilisation of the Sofia Regiment of Engineers, have caused the situation in the Balkans to become worse. Preparations have been completed at Boila to forestell any sudden movement by the Turks.

Information which has been received at the Bulgarian War Office foreshadows an intended dash by Turkish mounted troops towards the Shipka Pass. Turkey's troops on the frontier are ten times in number these of Bulgaria.

A document which has been purloised from the archives of Hilmi Pasha, the Inspector-General of Macedonia, shows that 93 Christion villages have been destroyed in the Monastir district, and Too in the four vilayets of Macedonia. London, 29th September,

The Monastir correspondent of the Daily Mail states that Turkey, with wonderful skill suggesting that she has the aid of Western military officers, has drawn an iron cordon 300,000 troops along the Bulgarian frontier, the distribution being as follows:--170,000 troops in the Salonika vilayat, 50,000 troops in the Monastir vilayet, 70,000 men with 300 guns in the Adrianople vilayet, and 10,000 men in the Kostovo vilayet.

Bakhtiar Pasha, the Governor of Krushevo, who was concerned with Adam Aga, the commander of the Bashi Basonks in the bombardment, without warning, of Krushevo, and the subsequent massacres, has been decorated by the Sultan, and transferred to Kastoria.

CAPITAL AND LABOUR IN THE U.S. London, 26th September.

Mr. G. W. Smalley, the New York correspondent of the Times, says that Samuel Parks the walking delegate who was convicted of blackmailing, and who was subsequently released on the report of the Judge who tried the case. has secured control of the convention of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers of Kausas. He has thus the New York building trade by the throat, The employers, Mr. Smalley adds, expect year's practical suspension of building enter prises. Parks threatens to tie up the great East River Bridge works.

London, 28th September. Because the Northern Pacific Railroad Com. pany refused to submit to a demand by blackmailers for £10,000, a gang of dynamiters. has made four attempts to do damage by causing explosions on the railway in the State of Montana

Investors in the American Steel Trust who have been rained by the fall in the value of stocks are threatening to take the life of Mr. Pierpont Morgan, one of the principal men controlling the operations of the trust.

NEW BRITISH CRUISERS.

London, 23rd September, The Admiralty has ordered three craisers of the type of the Duke of Edinburgh. One is to BANKS.-Hongkong and Shanghais are on be built by W. Beardmore and Co., Limited, Maxim, at Barrow-in-Furness, and the third by Sir William Armstrong, Whitworth, and Co. Newcastle-on-Tyne.

ME, CHAMBERLAIN'S PROPOSALS

London, 23rd September. A conference of representatives of members of co-operative societies and trades unionists of Wales, Monmonthshire, and Cardiff, representing a membership of 137,779 persons, has passed resolutions that Mr. Chamberlain's proposals for preferential trade, if carried into effect, will be a burden to the workers, will hamper industry, create capitalist monopolies, and cause international and colonial discord.

A conference of the Federation of Trades Councils of the South and East of England held at Oxford on Saturday, passed a resolution that any departure from the policy of free trade would be detrimental to the best interests of the

The Trades Unions Congress of the Dominion British colonies to the detriment of the proletariat of the motherland.

London, 29th September. An Ulster correspondent wrote to Mr. J. Chamberlain stating that he feared that their opposition to the Education Act would deter some people who were convinced of the necessity for tariff reform from supporting such proposals, Mr. Chamberlain replied that the Education Act ought to be given a fair trial. If it wefound to produce the evils which its opponents attributed to it, a Jemand for amendment would

deserve favourable consideration. Sir Charles Dilke explains that when he wrote his work Greater Britain he favoured trying to grasp the mathods of reasoning of other people, and tried to show the freetraders of the motherland that protection in Australia rected not so much on the pocket

and interest of the manufacturer as on the unselfish convictions of the workers. That, Sir Charles Dilke considers, is still the fact in the Commonwealth and we should so modify our method in discussing fiscal questions.

ALLEGED CORRUPTION IN GERMANY. London, 28th September. Dr. Bagenz, Secretary to the Public Prosecutor in Berlin, is charged with accepting, and three millionsire bank directors and three leading lawyers and company promoters are charged with offering, heavy bribes to defeat the ends of justice.

A RUNNING RECORD. London, 28th September. A. Shrubb, of the South London Harriers, who is the holder of the 10-miles running amateur championship, has lowered the British. amateur record for 14 miles by running the

COL NISING THE AMUR.

London, 28th September. The Government of Russia is settling 100,000 colonists in the Amur territories, and is undertaking great road and irrigation works in the Ussuri region.

MOROCCO. London, 27th September. The Paris correspondent of the London Daily Mail states that with the acquiescence of Spain and the knowledge of Italy, arrangements have been made between Great Britain and France to establish a French protectorate over Morocco. There is to be a neutral strip along the coast, and Great Britain is to be compensated with territory elsewhere in exchange for agreeing to the arrangement. There are indications; the Mail's correspondent adds, that France is ready to intervene to help the Sultan of Morocco against the insurgents.

The Berlin correspondent of the London Dail; Mail says it has also been arranged that Italy shall receive Tripoli, and that the protectorate of Great Britain over Egypt shall be recognised and strengthened. Germany, the correspondent states, is satisfied with obtaining commercial privileges in Morocco, and with the "open door" being established.

London, 28th September. The Temps, of Paris, says that with regard to the reported division of Northern Africa the pourparlers between the Powers on the state of affairs in Morceco have not yet led to any precise result.

London; 27th September. The War Office bas decided to re-arm the c avalry with a new light straight-thrusting

The gun committee of the War Office has adopted as the field gun a 15-pounder quickfirer. Its effective range with shrapnel is 6500 yards. The gun, which, when tested at Okehampton, was found to have a runge of 10,000 yards, is considered to be the best of its kind in Europe.

WEATHER REPORT.

The Hongkong Observatory on the 24th inst. issued the following report :-At 7.40 a. Black Ball hoisted. At 11.55 a. The barometer has fullen slightly

over N. China; risen over Japan and S. China. The typhoon in the China Sea is probably approaching S. Hainau. The high pressure area lies now over the Sea The monsoon is moderating in the Formesa

Bad weather over the NW. part of the China t orecast:- E. winds, decreasing; fair, squally.

LATEST STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

The P.M. steamer China, with mails, &c., left Shanghai for this port on the 23rd inst., at 12 p.m., and is expected here to-day, at daylight. The Imperial German mail steamer Roon lett Shanghai, on the 24th inst., at 11 a.m., and may be expected here to-day, p.m.

The Imperial German mail steamer Hamburg left Singapore on the 24th inst., at noon, and may be expected here on the 29th inst., at 6 a.m. The C. & M. steamer Rubi left Manila on the 24th inst., a.m., and is due here to-day, at 3 p.m. The silk ex C. P.R. steamer Empress of Japan, from Hongkong 23rd ult., arrived in New York on the 22nd inst.



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H. MAY. Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 9th October, 1903.

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Fale, to be held THIS DA (MONDAY), the 26th day of OCTOBER, 1903, at 3 r.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order o? His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Crown Land at Robinson Road in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the Ling, for one further term of 75 years.

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The TRADE MARK has been used by the Applicant in respect of Whisky in Class 43. A Facsimile of the TRADE MARK can be seen at the Office of the Colonial Secretary of Hongkong and also at the Offices of the undersigned.

Dated the 24th day of August, 1903. GEO. K. HALL BRUTTON. Nos. 39 & 41, Des Voeux Road Vic'oria, Hongkong. on behalf of the Applicant JAMES BUCHANAN,

INTIMATIONS

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source of income will be realised. Cheung Kai Coloured Matting (superior engines for the East, These designs have been present, and a great demand for one. As the sent home, and the engines constructed from cost of operating this would be small, the 8 Rolls 40 yards long by 1 yard wide, these designs have, when completed, given profits are certain to be very large. universal satisfaction. From his intimate In Canton we have an absolute monopoly knowledge of the various Japanese Railways, as we manufacture on the spot, and furtherhe is thoroughly accquainted with their require- more, the Canton plant will supply its share of ments, as well as with the different types of steamers, as well as selling to the adjacent locomotives now in service, now on order, and towns of Fa Ti, Ho Nam, Fat Shan, Sam Shui, others contemplated, and for which orders have | Wn Chow, and other towns on the West River. not yet been placed. It will be seen, therefore, (Macao will be supplied from our Hongkong that the Manager has an intimate knowledge of | plant.) the type of engines required for the Japanese Railways, and the cost of manufacturing and

paid for them by the buyers.

and water. It is estimated that the buildings fully equipped can be completed and ready for work ten months after building operations commence, and that 25 locomotive engines will be completed within six months of the completion of the workshops, and that the manufacture will go on at the rate of 25 engines for each half year. These could be sold for cash as completed.

Extensive orders are very frequently given for steel railway and other bridges for the East and in view of the development of railway construction, such orders will continue to be issued in increased volume for many years to come. It is the intention of the company to undertake the construction of such work, from which large profits are expected to be realised For several years past there has been a de-

mand by the smaller of the Japanese Railways for the purchase of locomotives and rolling stock to be paid for on the hire-purchase system hitherto no English builders have seen their way to supply any rolling stock on the terms named, and it is the intention of the Company to supply such demands under proper guarantees for payment, and from which large profits are a so expected to be realised.

The Company therefore start work under very favourable conditions and with a connection already established equal to about 66 per cent. of the total manufacturing capacity of the works, which is sufficient in itself to pay hand some dividends to the shareho'ders; and in view of the development of railways in the East no difficulty is anticipated in securing orders to keep the Company's works constantly going to its utmost capacity. The Company will have no difficulty in securing all the skilled labour necessary on the spot, which will be directed by the Manager and supervised by thoroughly skilled foremen from home.

Railways are also in course of construction and extension in Chine, Manchuria, Corea, Siam. Borneo and Burma, and very large numbers of locomotives as well as other rolling stock will soon be needed on these railways, the whole of which will be imported. The Company pro- Subscribed Capital. Shanghai Tls. 5,000,000 poses to endeavour to secure a portion of that | PAID-UP CAPITAL

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Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company and of the Contract above mentioned may be inspected at the office of the Company's Solicitor.

Forms of application for shares may be obtained from the Agent and Bankers. Applications for shares should be forwarded to the Bankers of the Company, The Hongkong and shanghai Banking Corporation, Hongkong or Yokohama, Japan, from whom copies of the Prospectus may to obtained.

Copies of the Prospectus and further informathe may also be obtained from the Bankers of tionCompany, Hongkoug, from the Managing Agents, Messrs, Samuel Samuel & Co. Yokohama; Japan, and from the Agent in Hongkong. Dat ed the 12th day of October, 1903. [2899

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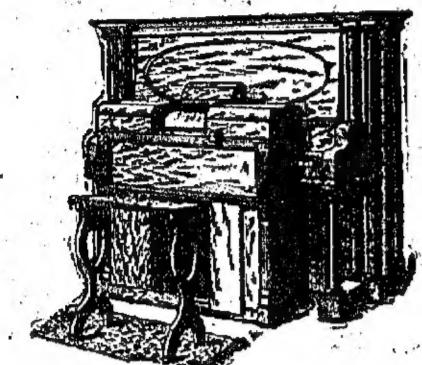
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Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the Bisr day of OCTOBER, 1903, at Noon, when the Subjoined Resolutions will be proposed, viz. :--"That the Capital of the Company be increased from \$1,400,000 (divided into 100,000 shares of \$10 each) to \$1,500,000 (divided into 150,000 shares of \$10 each) by the creation of 50,000 new shares of \$10 each to be offered and if accepted to be allotted to the present shareholders of the Company at par in the ratio and proportion of one new share for every two old shares in the Company held by the respective shareholders thereof, the amount

> times and in such manner as the Company by its General Managers may hereafter determine," "That Article No. 82 of the Articles of Association of the Company be cancelled and the following Article

payable on each of such new shares respectively to be paid at such time or

"The remuneration of the General Managers shall be \$4,000 per annum (which shall cover office rent but not salaries of Secretary and other employees) and a commission of 5 per cent, of the net profits of the Company for each year that such profits amount to 7 per cent, of the Capital of the Company."

Should the above Resolutions be duly passed they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a Second Extraordinary General Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

substituted therefor:-

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Then again there has been an enormous took up the game, and made courses in the most improvement in club-making. Give old Hugh unlikely, as well as the most likely places, gol-Philp his due, for he did undoubtedly discover fors began to find that it was difficult to conthe wooden club, but the veriest duffer of trol the ball with a wooden putter when putting to-day would look somewhat askanco at one of on small or rough greens, and indeed on even those delicate graceful clubs, with their swan- the very best English greens, for they do not like curve of the neck, which helped the golfing seem to have the same texture as the turf on the Paladins of old to make and break their classic courses of Scotland. Then somebody records. I do not think that even the wildest invented the putting cleek and putting iron, laudator temporis acti would deny that the No doubt they are excellent weapons when used driving of our finest modern players quite over- in first-rate hands, but they admit of a much shadows that of their ancient r'vals. It is not more slipshed method of putting than does the only longer but surer. To be in the first flight | wooden putter. There is only one way of to-day a man must drive. Driving has, I re- playing with the latter: with the former everypeat, improved enormously, but what about body seems to play different. It seems to me putting? It is little less than disheartening to | that if the fashion changed again, and the wooden see with what regularity the finest professional putter (whose fame has suffered a temporary players fail to negotiate the simplest of putts. eclipse) were to regain its ancient popularity, Half-n-dozon missed ones in a record score is we might hear less about bad putting. no uncommon occurrence. In the Amateur | There is a dictum known to everyone who has Championship which has just been played, Mr. ever played golf, that a man who can putt can Robert Maxwell, perhaps the most redoubtable play anybody. Like most sayings it is partially of all the Scottish amateurs, though playing true, but one must not interpret it too litera magnificent game off the tee and through the green, lost his match with Mr. Fry merely ting alone, but also no one can hope to win because on one or two occasions he failed to matches unless he can putt fairly well. Of get down from a foot or two; what is the course it does not follow that everyone can bereason, one may well ask, of this paralysis come a very fine patter. As with every other on the green? In the Homeric contests stroke in the game of golf, certain definite rules between Tommy Morris and Davie Stirk, the must be fellowed; neglect of these is sure, two finest players of their day, thirty holes sooner or later, to be followed by mishap. Apwould often be played without a single missed proach putting is an inspiration born of the putt on either side. On the classic links where moment and the hour, holing out, except on octhe championships take place one cannot at- casions, a purely mechanical art. tribute it to any irregularity in the greens. Is | First of all, in holing out a putt, no matter putting, like the cunning of the Egyptians, a how short, it is absolutely essential to keep one's lost art? Among famous amateurs there are eye on the ball, Remember only that the hole QUN INSURANCE OFFICE, LONDON still one or two remarkably fine patters and lies straight in front of you, and never look up perhaps one or two among professionals. Mr. till the ball has already travelled some distance Horace Hutchinson would not impress the from the club. It is not necessary to worry ordinary observer with any idea of his extraordinary skill; it is only when one plays with when you are attempting to lay the ball dead pared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at him that one is astonished at the ease with from a considerable distance, and so the difficulty which he holes the longest of putts, and not infrequently the trickiest of iron shots. It is certain that were his health as good as formerly 121 he would repeat his triumphs of the years 1886 it well through, as you are off the tee. In this and 1887. Another splendid putter, on whom respect the ordinary professional player is the the mantle of the ancient prophets may be said greatest sinner: he seems almost unable to cultito have fallen, is Mr. John L. Low. He drives | vate that pendulum stroke with the wrists which a short ball, compared with the tremendous is, in my opinion, the only sound method of hitting one sees nowadays, but, when he is putting. in his best form, he may recken not only to In these two simple rules lies the whole secret recover on the green all the ground he has lost of putting. How easy it sounds, and how difon the way to the hole, but to secure the ad- ficult it is to follow them implicitly! There vantage over his adversary. Once within a seems to be an almost irresistible temptation to reasonable distance of the hole he never misses, glance up at the hole when negotiating a short and his putting is done with an absolute per- putt. As to stance it is almost impossible to fection of style. Mr. Low, as everybody knows, lay down any rules. The most comfortable posiputts only with a wooden putter. This deadly | tion is generally the best. There is a sort of weapon, of a pattern now almost extinct, is as | notion shared by a large number of golfers, that well known on northern groens as its genial it is useless to practice putting. They imagine owner. It would be worth the while of any | that at the critical moment a divine inspirakeen player to watch carefully Mr. Low's | tion will descend upon them. I beg to differ [72] methods on the putting-green. He studies the from these gentlemen entirely. I think that lie with great deliberation from both sides of everyone should practice with their putters just THE BOMBAY FIRE AND MARINE the hole, but his mind once made up, he wastes as much as with their drivers and their irons. no unnecessary time in addressing the ball. The man who wishes to putt well should never Before his eye has had time to weary, the lose an opportunity of practising holing out stroke is made. The ball is struck entirely from | with a dozen balls or so, not carelessly and at AGENTS for the above Company, are the wrists, and one notices that at the top of haphazard, but just as deliberately and methodithe swing (even though the distance to be tra- cally as if he were playing a match. versed is short) the club is lifted extraordinarily high, and taken back extraordinarily straight, while the follow through is equally long and fluished in the direction of the hole. Another fine putter of the younger school is Mr. J. A. T. Bramston, whilst Mr. Sydney Fry is of course renowned for his skill in this department of the game. Among professionals I can only call to mind one remarkably fine putter, Kinnell, who, though of small stature, contrives to hold his TT is a type-lever Machine, has Anti-Ribbon own with even the famous triumvirate; his | Inking Mechanism which costs one-tenth style is peculiar, for he stands facing the hole | the o'st of a ribbon, has universal keyboard of and grasps the putter very low down. Willie 27 keys, and writes altogether 81 characters. Park had the reputation of great skill on the It takes in paper 81 inches and writes a line of green, but he seldom appears before the public 74 inches. It measures 82 by 12 by 11 inches nowadays. These players are all very fine put- and weighs 13 pounds unpacked. ters, but as a rule putting is the weakest department in a strong player's game. There are a impossible with a Ribbon. good many ressons for this, though to the uninitiated driving seems a far more difficult ac- having just arrived, are effered for Sale at complishment than putting. 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Coal and General. - NIPPON YUSEN KAIBHA. Oct. 25, M. STRUYE, German str., 966, P. Brandt, Moji 19th Oct., Coal.—Siemssen

Oct. 2: PROSPER, Norwegian str., 789, J. Christiansen, Manila 22nd Oct., Ballast .-SANDER, WIELE'S & Co. Oct. 25, TELEMACHUS, British str., 1,340, J.

Williamson, Saigon 18th Oct., Rice, Meal and General.—CHINESE. Oct. 25, WAKAMATSU MARU, Jop. str., 2,774, Sakamoto, Moji 20th October, Cont .-

H. U. JEFFRIES. Oct. 25. Woosung, British str., 1,109, M. Dowson, Shanghai and Swalow 20th Oct. General.-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 24th October.

Nanchang, British str., for Tientsin. Shantung, German str., for Swatow. DEPARTURES: 24th October.

COROMANDEL, British str., for Europe. FRANZ FERDINAD, Austrian str., for Triesto. FREIBURG, German str., for Calcutta. KOHSICHANG, German str., for Bangkok, Honokone, French str., for Haiphong. Kong Beng, German str., for Pakhoi. KWANGTAH, Chinese str., for Shanghai. ROSETTA MARU, Japanese str., for Munila. SUNGKIANG, British str., for Manila. ZAFIRO, British str., for Manila. 25th October.

HIKOSAN MARU, Japanese str., for Kobe. INDBANI, Brillis 1 str., for Shanghai -NANCHANG, Fritish str., for Tiontsin. SHANIUNG, German str., for Swatow.

VESSELS IN DOCK. 24th October. ABERDEEN DOCKS .- U.S S. Don Juan de

Austria. Lillebonne, U.S.A.T. Seword, U.S.A.T. Wright, above ports, on WEDNESDAY, the 4th Tarlue, Hongkong Maru, Thales, Chunsung, November, at NOON. Stanley, Dr. H. J. Kider. COSMOPOLITAN B. K .- Tsinan, Indravelli, No. 20, Des Voeux Road. Teucer.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The French steamer Hailan, from Hoihow 21st Oct., had strong N.E. wind with very heavy

The British stramer-Chingwo, from San Francisco and Moji 20th Oct., had strong N.E. winds in Channel with fine weather. The British steamer Kuifong, from Manila

22nd Octa experienced light variable winds, and confused sea to position 19.41 and 116.19 E. thence strong monsoon and rough sea. The British steamer Hailsong, from Swatow 24th Oct., had fresh easterly brenze and mode. rate sea to Breaker Point; from thence to port

light breeze and fine, clear weather throughout. Ships in Swatow - Tailee and Saingan: The British steamer Telemachus, from Saigon 18th Oct., had light variable winds and fine, clear weather to Cope Padaran; thence to Paracels moderate to fresh northerly winds and seas, cloudy weather; from Paracels to lat. 21 N.

long. 113 E. encountered very hard gale, high mountainous seas with wind from N.W. to E.; thence to Gap Rock moderate wind and seas with very hard easterly squalls of wind and rain; thence to arrival light wind and fine. The British steamer Empire, from Sydney via ports 30th Sept., had moderate N.E. winds and fine to Cooktown. From Cor town to Port Darwin fresh S.E. and moderate E. winds and fine. From Port Darwin to Manila calms and light variable winds, fine weather and showery.

till arrival strong N.E. galo with high mountainons sea. VESSELS ON THE BERTH INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

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Optional Cargo will be landed, unless notice has been given prior to steamer's arrival. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined at 11 A.M. on the 26th inst.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the steamer's Godown, and all Goods remaining undelivered a ter the 26th inst. will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must

presented to the Undersigned on or before the 2nd prox., or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 19th October, 1903.

"INDRA" LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK VIA, SUEZ CANAL.

THE Company's Steamship

"INDRANT' having arrived from the above ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, whore each Consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Goods not cleared by the 27th inst., at NOON,

will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in

any case whatever. All lamaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognised.

Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before NOON, To-DAY, the 21st inst. JARDINE, MATHESON & CO.,

Agents. Hongkong, 21st October, 1903. STEAMSHIP "YARRA."

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CYONSIGNEES of Cargo from London ex s.s. Medoc and Sidon, from Havre ex s.s. Sidon, in connection with above Steamer, are bereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Tressure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before NOON, To-DAY, the 20th inst., requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Tuesday, the 27th inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. All claims must be sent in to me on or before

the 27th inst., or they will not be recognised. All damaged packages will be examined on Tuesday, the 27th inst., at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent. Hongkong, 20th October, 1903. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, · LIMITED,

CHINA MUTUAL STEAM, NAVIGA-TION COMPANY, LIMITED.

NONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

"POLYPHEMUS"

are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ld., where in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Cruft or Godown on and after the 19th instant.

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All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 2nd prox., or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 19th October, 1903. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamer "BENGAL,"

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will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. Damaged packages must be left in the Gohour. All Claims must be presented within which date they cannot be recognised. No

left the Godowns. E. A. HEWETT. Superintendent. Hongkong, 22nd October, 1903.

BOSTON STEAMSHIP COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "SHAWMUT."

AND MOJI. THE above Steamer having arrived, Conaignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

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subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be: examined on the 26th October, at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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The China, with the American Mail left Shangharden Friday, the 23rd inst., at 12 p.m., and may be expected here to-day, at daylight.

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entta for this port, via the Straits, on the 17th inst., and may be expected here on the 2nd prox; THE AMERICAN MAILS! The P.M. steamer China left Shanghai for this port on the 23rd inst., at 12 p.m., and is

expected here to day, at daylight. The T.K.K. steamer Nippon Maru left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, &c., on the 15th inst.

THE GERMAN MAILS: The Imperial German mail steamer Roon left Shanghai, on the 24th inst., at 11 a.m., and may

be expected here to-day, p.m. The Imperial German mail steamer Hamburg left Singapore on the 24th inst., at noon, and may be expected here on the 29th inst., at 6 a.m. THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The C.P.R. steamer Empress of India arrived at Kobe at 10 p.m. on the 20th inst., and left again at 2 a.m. on the 21st inst., via Nagasaki, for Shanghai, where she is due to arrive at 2 a.m. on the 24th inst. MEECHANT STEAMERS.

The C.N. steamer Wuchang left Livilo for this port on the 22nd inst., and is expected here today, at daylight.

The H.A.L. steamer Suevia, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the 20th inst. at noon, and may be expected here to-day. The N.Y.K. steamer Bombay Maru (Bombay

Line) left Singapore for this port on the 20th inst., and is expected here to-day. The C. & M. steamer Rubi left Manila on the 24th inst., a.m., and is due here to-day, at 3 p.m. .The C. & M. steamer Perla left Cebn on the

23rd inst., a.m., and is expected here on the The P. & A. steamer Indrapura left Portland (Or.) on the 2nd inst., and may be expected here

about the 5th prox. The C.M. steamer Ningchow left Victoria (B.C.) on the 10th inst. for Hongkong via Japan

The C.N. steamer Changeha, from Australian ports via Manila, left Sydney on the 17th inst.,

and is expected here on the 8tn prox. The N.P. stermer Olympia left Victoria (B.C.) for Yokohama and the usual ports on the 18th

inst., and may be expected here on the 16th prox. OND FLOOR, No. 35, QUEEN'S ROAD

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